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NOTE: See Continuation Sheet. (See 37 CFR 1.1	16 and 41.33(a)).		
4. 🔲 The amendments are not in compliance with 37 CFR 1.1	21. See attached Notice of Non-Co	mpliant Amendment	(PTOL-324).
5. Applicant's reply has overcome the following rejection(s)			:
 Newly proposed or amended claim(s) would be all non-allowable claim(s). 	•	-	_
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Claim(s) allowed: Claim(s) objected to:			
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Continuation Sheet (PTO-303)

Continuation of 3. NOTE: The proposed amendment will not be entered because it changes the scope of the claims which would require further consideration and/or search..

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